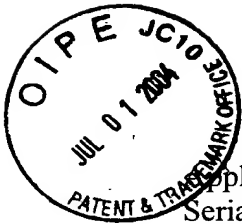


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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.111**

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed March 29, 2004, having a reply due date of June 29, 2004. Reconsideration and reexamination are respectfully requested in light of the remarks below.

It is not believed that any fee(s), including fees for additional claims, are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that additional fees are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is also hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

**A listing of the claims** begins on Page 2 of this paper.

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